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Thirteen prisoners broke jail at Tombstone, Arizona, the other day. The question is whether it is unlucky for the jail authorities or the jail birds.

The St. Albans Messenger says "The Clement and anti-Clement wings of the Republican party in Barre have held a love-feast and buried the hatchet. Which is as it should be."

The tax on deer hunting in Maine has resulted satisfactorily in two ways, only one human life was sacrificed this year and less deer were shot by many hundreds. A similar scheme in Vermont would not be amiss.

The escape from a serious conflagration in the business section of Barre last evening is a matter for congratulation. The fire was in a section of the business blocks on Main street where the danger is very great. The buildings there are of wood and quite old so the problem of extinguishing the fire would have been a matter of most serious consequences had the flames gained much headway before being discovered. The fire department deserves the heartiest praise for its prompt and efficient work.

The school situation in at least one or two districts in the town of Rutland manifestly demands attention. When a school is closed because money enough to hire a teacher who can control unruly boys is not forthcoming, and the idle pupils are not required to attend school elsewhere, the condition seems to be one requiring the bringing to bear of the law. A continuance of such conditions means the breeding of ignorance, lawlessness and vice.—Rutland News.

There is indeed something else due such pupils besides the rule, or attempted rule, of their teacher. The time is past when the pupils should be allowed to "play horse" with the one who would inculcate a few scraps of knowledge into their craniums, when the "big" boys can, with impunity, stand the teacher on his head in the snow drift or thrust a similar indignity upon the schoolmaster. If the action of the pupils are enough to break up a school then the law should take a hand in the tutoring.

A chance to save money on Saturday at Perry's store. A special sale of outing flannel at 6c per yard. Ladies' and gents' umbrellas at only 98c. Ladies' jackets for \$7.50, reduced from \$10.00 and \$12.50.



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What Mary Had.
 Mary had a little lamb,
 Likewise an oyster stew,
 Salad, cake, a piece of pie
 And a bottle of pale brew;
 Then a few hours later
 She had a doctor too.
 —Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Beautiful.
 "She's pretty as a picture."
 "Yes—any picture except her own."
 Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

The Real Thing.



"Rural delivery."
 —Chicago American.

ABOUT THE STATE.

Items of Interest Gleaned From Our Exchanges.

John Metcalf, editor of the Fair Haven Era, is a candidate for the position of postmaster at Fair Haven, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Ira R. Allen.

A petition in bankruptcy has been filed by Joseph Loughey, a farmer of Montgomery. He has liabilities of \$4,000.12 and assets of \$9,931.45, of which \$1,106.20 are claimed exempt.

The case against Mrs. Allen Moffatt, charged with attempting to poison her husband, Phyllander Moffatt, of Sandgate, has been set for December 29 in Bennington county court.

The three-year-old daughter of Carl Livingston, who carries on the Charles Lavigne farm at Hinsburg, recently fell in such a manner that her tongue was cut completely through by her teeth. Dr. H. B. Hanson put her under the influence of chloroform and sewed her tongue and she is doing well.

Henry D. Hall, one of the best known men in Bennington county, died at the residence of his son-in-law, H. T. Cushman in North Bennington Tuesday afternoon. His death was sudden although he had been confined to the house for five weeks as the result of injuries received by falling on the ice while attending a convention in Arlington. Mr. Hall was in his 81st year.

Notice to Claimants.

All members of Clan Gordon No. 12 are requested to send in their address to the secretary, James Elrick, 18 Maple avenue, on or before the 15th of December, so as to insure them of receiving the new publication of the Fiery Cross. Anyone failing to comply with this request may not receive the paper as a new and correct list has got to be sent to the new publishers.

Special values in ladies' and gents' umbrellas, with solid sterling silver handles and swedges, for \$2.50 and \$2.75 at Abbott's.

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CHIEF ORDINANCE OFFICER.

Capt. C. F. Burnham to Have Charge of New Department in V. N. G.

Burlington, Dec. 16.—Capt. C. F. Burnham of this city, who has been inspector of rifle practice in the First Regiment, V. N. G., will in the future be the chief officer in the ordinance department, just organized. He will retain his rank as captain and will have two sergeants to assist him in the department.

The new department was organized to put the Vermont regiment on a footing similar to the regiments in other states. The rifle practice will be superintended by Captain Burnham as heretofore and the team will be under his direction at Sea Girt, N.J., in the national shoot held each year. Otherwise the duties will be the usual ones falling upon an officer in charge of the ordinance department.

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THE VAUGHAN STORE,

44 North Main Street, Barre, Vermont.

Robbers Terrorize a Town.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 17.—Three robbers stood guard in the office of the Star elevator with drawn revolvers while three of their companions worked for an hour and exploded seven charges of dynamite. The heavy explosions raised the roof of the building from its foundation. Terrified people in the neighborhood stood at a distance and watched the operations of the robbers, who finally became discouraged at their repeated failure to reach the inside of a burglar proof strong box in side the safe and left a few minutes before the police arrived. Only a small sum of money was taken.

Bad Fire in Trenton.

Trenton, N. J., Dec. 17.—The main building of the plant of the Skillman Hardware Manufacturing company has been destroyed by fire; loss about \$40,000, fully insured.

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